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TOWN MEETING—TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 1987—11:00 A.M.

Moderator	George Green	1988	
Town Clerk	Cynthia Anderson	1988	
Deputy Town Clerk	Robert E. Moore		
Selectmen		Supervisors of the Check List	
Arnold Putney	1988	Erma Cole	1990
Louise B. Jacewicz	1989	Dorothy Anderson	1992
Robert Z. Klein	1987	Grace Patten	1988
		Carol Stetson	Appt. 1/08/87
Secretary to the Board of Selectmen: Robert E. Moore			

Town Personnel

Auditor	George Green
Civil Defense Director	Frank Anderson
Custodian	Elba Jillson
Fire Chief	Byron Charles
Fire Warden and Deputies	Kenneth Rodgers, Warden Byron Charles Bernard Manning Dallas R. Patten Malcolm F. Patten David N. Reney Matthew Waddell
Health Officer	Dr. Robert Z. Klein
Librarian	Celeste Klein
New London Hospital Bd. of Trustees	John Chiarella
Overseer of the Poor	Cora Bresnahan
Police Officer	Russell LeBrecht
Police Deputy	Harold A. Wheeler
Representatives to the General Court	Merle Shotanus Sara Townsend
Representatives to Upper Valley/Lake Sunapee Council	George Thomson Jay Booker
Representatives to Solid Waste District	Jay Booker, Janet Booker
Representative to Sullivan County Engineering Review Council	George Thomson
Road Agent	Russell LeBrecht
Tax Collector	Robert E. Moore 1988
Deputy Tax Collector	Cynthia Anderson
Kindergarten Supervisor	Elizabeth D'Amico
Town Treasurer	Amelia W. Anderson 1988
Trustees of Trust Funds	Beverly McIntire 1987 Patricia Roberts 1988

Budget Committee

Jay Booker	1988	Bernard Manning	1987
George Green	1987	Malcolm Patten	1987
Bruce Jasper	1988	David N. Reney	1989
Henry Kidder III	1989	Celeste Klein	1988
William Groth	1989		

Cemetery Commission

David Patten	1989	Grace Patten	1989
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Conservation Commission

Janet Booker	1987	Boris Bushueff	1990
Paul Currier	1991	Michael Howard	1989
Henry Kidder III	1988		

Kearsarge Visiting Nurse Association

Nancy Watkins, R.N.	Dr. Robert Z. Klein
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Library Trustees

Muriel Tinkham	1988	Marilyn Johnson	1987
	Terry Davis		1989

Planning Board

Janet Booker	1988	George Thomson	1987
Joanne Wheeler	1988	Allen Wilson	1986
Richard S. Kidder Jr.	1987	Kenneth Rodgers	1989
David N. Reney	1989	Robert Z. Klein, Selectman	
Constance Jones, Alternate		Benjamin Kezar, Alternate	
Michael Kancer, Alternate			

Recreation Committee

Cynthia Anderson	Barry Dashner	Diane Charles
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School Representative

Andrew D'Amico

Town Buildings Committee

Wolfgang Heinberg	Michael Howard
Robert E. Moore	Todd Elgin
Kenneth Rodgers	Frank Anderson
Boris Bushueff	Celeste Klein
Richard Gallop	William Anderson
James Yager	Fred Davis

Resignations

William Groth	01/19/87	Grace Patten	12/18/86
Henry Kidder III			

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

The Polls Will Be Open From 11:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Springfield in the (L.S.) County of Sullivan, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Springfield, N.H. on Tuesday, the tenth day of March, next at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money on notes of the Town in anticipation of taxes.
4. To see if the Town will approve to continue the management and sale of Timber in any Town Forest lands under the supervision of a qualified forester.
5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for, accept and expend, without further action by the Town Meeting, money from the state, federal, or other governmental unit or a private source which becomes available during the fiscal year pursuant to RSA 31:95-B.
6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell land acquired in 1985 for tax default, land to be sold to the highest bidder. Selectmen reserve the right to refuse any and all bids.
Map 31 — Lot 203-400, Spring Glen Lot #50, Estey Land 1.60 acreage valued at \$14,100.00
7. "Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 72:1-C which authorizes any town or city to elect not to assess, levy and collect a resident tax?" (Yes or No by paper ballot and use of the checklist.)
8. (By petition) "Shall we adopt the provision of RSA 76:15-A providing for semi-annual payment of property taxes?"

This statute provides for mailing of tax bills for partial payment no later than June 15 with payment due and payable on July 1. Payments shall be credited toward the amount of taxes assessed against the property. A payment of the remainder of taxes assessed as of April 1, minus the

payment due on July 1 of that year, shall be due and payable December 1. Interest shall be on all taxes not paid on or before the date they are due and payable as prescribed in RSA 76:13, except that, all bills for partial payment are mailed on or after July 1, interest shall not be charged until 30 days after the last bill is mailed. (Yes or No by paper ballot and use of the checklist.)

9. (By petition) "Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 72-43-F for the adjusted elderly exemptions from property tax? These statutes provide for the following exemptions, based on assessed value, for qualified taxpayers: for a person 65 years of age up to 75 years, \$10,000; for a person 75 years of age up to 80 years, \$15,000; for a person 80 years of age or older, \$20,000. To qualify, the person must have been a New Hampshire resident for at least 5 years. In addition, the taxpayer must have a net income of less than \$10,000 or if married, a combined net income of less than \$12,000, and own net assets of \$30,000 or less, excluding the value of the person's residence." (Printed ballot) (Public hearing held February 16, 1987.)
10. (By request) To see if the Town will vote to amend the bylaw passed at Town Meeting 1984 (3/13/84) concerning building permits to the following:

"No person, firm or corporation shall erect any new dwelling, garage, mobile home, school bus or other enclosure for habitation to be used as a dwelling nor shall the size of an existing home be expanded or the changing of a seasonal home to a year round home take place without first obtaining a permit from the Board of Selectmen or a designated person. Permits shall be issued or denied within seven days from the date of receipt of the completed application. No permit shall be issued without appropriate sewage facility approval. Any person, firm or corporation violating the provision of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of \$10.00 each day of neglect to obtain such a permit. This ordinance shall be effective April 1, 1987." (Yes or No by paper ballot and use of the checklist.)
11. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to contract for the keeping of highways and bridges or any part thereof in repair for a term not exceeding five (5) years, RSA 231:61. The amount of the contract shall be such that it does not increase the total of sums in the budget submitted for the purposes relating to highways.
12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to raise and appropriate Thirty-four Thousand Three Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$34,350) for the purpose of purchasing a new loader to be used by the Highway Department and further to authorize the Selectmen to withdraw the

amount of Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000) from the Highway Capital Reserve Fund and the issuance of a three (3) year note.

13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to raise and appropriate Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500) for the purpose of purchasing a new plow blade to be used by the Highway Department and further, to authorize the Selectmen to trade the currently owned plow as the balance of cost on the new plow.
14. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to raise and appropriate Sixteen Thousand Dollars (\$16,000) for the purpose of installing the below named bridges, and further authorize the Selectmen to issue a three (3) year note.
 1. Bridge on Old Daniel Webster Pass from Twin Lake Villa to Hide Away Lodge.
 2. Bridge from Georges Mills Road to Star Lake Farm Road.
15. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the towns' representatives to the General Court to take all necessary measures to insure that no low level radioactive waste from the Seabrook Nuclear Plant shall be stored or disposed of within the Town of Springfield, N.H., unless and until the proposed site of the proposed storage or disposal has been approved by the voters of the Town at the annual Town Meeting.
16. (By request) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000 for feasibility and technical studies and expert engineering and architectural opinions to meet the present and future building needs of the Town.
17. (By petition) To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of RSA 53-c relating to the franchising and regulation of cable television systems in the area currently serviced by the Kearsarge Telephone Company and to authorize the Selectmen to serve as franchising authority under said chapter.
18. (By petition) To see if the Town will vote to change the current time of Town Meeting from 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. (Yes and No on paper ballot and use of the checklist.)
19. To see if the Town will vote to accept the budget as submitted by the Budget Committee.

20. To hear the reports of the officers and standing committees.

Given under our hands and seal, this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eighty-seven.

ARNOLD PUTNEY

Chairman

ROBERT Z. KLEIN

LOUISE B. JACEWICZ

Selectmen of Springfield, N.H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ARNOLD PUTNEY

Chairman

ROBERT Z. KLEIN

LOUISE B. JACEWICZ

Selectmen of Springfield, N.H.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT — 1986

The finalization of reports for the past year has led us, as usual, to an assessment of the activities of our town government during 1986. Good or bad????

Actually on a plus or minus scale we feel that the positive definitely outweighs the negative. Some of the accomplishments that we wish to mention are:

1. The newly formed building committee has made great strides in examining and evaluating the present condition and sites of each of our town facilities. You, as taxpayers, will be asked to give them your support and a vote of confidence by appropriating monies to study plans that will not only preserve the past but will look to the future in Springfield.

2. The Planning Board has again made a great contribution in carefully monitoring the many aspects so closely related to growth in the town. The many hours that are devoted to discussing subdivision plans, driveways and revisions to the master plan are not only well spent but much appreciated!

3. Our recreation facility is going to be a reality — finally after nearly 20 years! The Sych property on New London Road has been purchased by funds from the Baseball Field Fund and the Springfield Civic Fund and presentation of the deed to the town has been completed. Springfield has received preliminary approval for another grant for the development of the lot. It is important to keep in mind that the matching funds for the grants involved which have been received are all “non-tax related” monies. This project is one which will only reach its ultimate goal by support from the townspeople in good faith, hard work and continued enthusiasm.

We have all noticed new buildings and numerous property sales in town in 1986. Again — what it means may be difficult to determine at present. Certainly we welcome our new neighbors realizing that as we become more populated that changes must occur. The pressure is now upon the town officials and taxpayers to work cooperatively toward a future for Springfield that will allow preservation of the favorable aspects of a small town and yet be progressive.

We wish to particularly thank some of our “part-time” residents for their personal attention to two very important projects — Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sych for offering the land for the recreation facility at a greatly reduced price; Mr. and Mrs. Ned Sacks for their substantial contribution toward the matching funds for the same facility; and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orne for their assistance in providing the labor, materials, and qualified workers for the repair and reconstruction of the dam at Lake Kolelemook.

Problems? Yes, of course, there are many — our roads and town buildings are in need of major repair, our lakes and streams need to be carefully monitored for water quality, safety, and recreational potential, and the annual increase in our tax rate affects everyone. Solutions will not be easy. We need continued support and more active involvement from each and everyone!

ARNOLD PUTNEY

Chairman

ROBERT Z. KLEIN, M.D.

LOUISE B. JACEWICZ

Selectmen

**COMPARISON OF TAX RATES, PROPERTY VALUES
AND EXEMPTIONS — 1985-1986**

Account Budget	1985	1986
Town	\$ 223,750.00	\$ 236,885.00
School	445,929.00	567,024.00
County	82,865.00	90,750.00
Veterans Exemption	3,200.00	3,150.00
Overlay	<u>5,914.00</u>	<u>12,384.00</u>
TOTALS	\$ 771,658.00	\$ 910,193.00

Less Revenue	\$ 146,611.00	\$ 151,088.00
Less Business Profits Tax	<u>11,797.00</u>	<u>14,007.00</u>
NET PROPERTY TAX REQUIRED	\$ 613,250.00	\$ 745,098.00

TAX RATE	\$ 613,250.00	\$ 745,098.00
	<u> </u> = 22.80	<u> </u> = 27.00
	\$26,896,975.00 per 1000	\$27,596,218.00 per 1000

Property Value Comparison	1985	1986
Land	\$15,992,407.00	\$15,919,825.00
Buildings	14,191,575.00	15,080,425.00
Utilities	841,520.00	841,520.00
Mobile Homes	<u>380,640.00</u>	<u>390,650.00</u>
TOTALS	\$31,406,142.00	\$32,232,420.00

Exemptions	1985	1986
Current Use	\$ 2,353,855.00	\$ 2,483,222.00
Elderly Exemption	117,780.00	132,780.00
Town, State, Prop. Etc.	<u>2,066,450.00</u>	<u>2,020,200.00</u>
TOTAL VALUATION—EXEMPTIONS	\$26,896,957.00	\$27,596,218.00

BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF SPRINGFIELD

Appropriations and Estimates of Revenues

for the Ensuing year January 1, 1987 to December 31, 1987

Purposes of Appropriation (RSA 31:4)	Actual Appropriations 1986 (1986-87)	Actual Expenditures 1986 (1986-87)	Selectmen's Budget 1987 (1987-88)	Recommended By Budget Committee 1987 (1987-88)
General Government				
Town Officers' Salary	\$ 6,600	\$ 6,241	\$ 6,600	\$ 6,600
Town Officers' Expenses	15,000	15,859	16,000	16,000
Election and Registration Expenses	1,500	1,648	1,000	1,000
Cemeteries	400	984	1,800	1,800
General Government Buildings	13,800	10,939	25,000	20,000
Reappraisal of Property and Tax Map	1,000	755	1,000	1,000
Planning and Zoning	700	936	1,600	1,600
Legal Expenses	3,000	3,369	3,500	3,500
Advertising and Regional Association	550	534	600	600
Contingency Fund	200		200	200
Town Clerk and Tax Collector Fees	3,000	3,242	5,000	5,000
Kindergarten	2,500	2,473	4,815	4,815
Building Committee			5,000	5,000
Outside Audit			3,500	
Public Safety				
Police Department	11,050	10,883	11,200	11,200
Fire Department	8,870	7,266	9,000	10,716
Civil Defense	100	23	175	175
F.A.S.T. Squad	250	123	475	475
Highways, Streets & Bridges				
Town Maintenance	42,650	47,548	96,340	88,340
General Highway Department Expenses	16,900	25,447	18,200	18,200
Street Lighting	1,800	1,658	1,800	1,800
Highway Block Grant	22,750	22,750	25,810	25,810
Bridges				16,000

Sanitation				
Solid Waste Commission	150			
Sunapee Transfer Station	18,250	30,000	18,250	30,000
Sullivan County Refuse District	1,775		2,162	
Health				
Health Department				
Hospitals and Ambulances—\$1,500 and \$700			84	
Animal Control	2,200	1,850	2,200	1,850
Vital Statistics	250	250	201	250
K.V.N.A.	25	25	14	25
Water Testing	1,290	1,430	1,287	1,430
	300	30	16	30
Welfare				
General Assistance	2,000	2,000	11	2,000
Juvenile Placement	5,000		1,586	
Culture and Recreation				
Library	2,725	3,500	2,725	3,500
Parks and Recreation	1,750	1,950	1,740	1,950
Patriotic Purposes	200	200	200	200
Conservation Commission	1,000	1,000	1,000	500
Debt Service				
Principal of Long-Term Bonds and Notes	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000
Interest Expense—Long-Term Bonds and Notes	2,000	1,000	1,569	3,500
Interest Expense—Tax Anticipation Notes	4,000	35,000	26,091	35,000
Howard Memorial Church Interest	25	25	23	25
Capital Outlay				
Loader (Trade with C.R. Funds)		34,350		34,350
Plow		1,500		1,500
Operating Transfers Out				
Payments to Capital Reserve Funds:				
Capital Reserve (Highway)	4,000	4,000	4,000	2,000
Capital Reserve (Library)	2,000	2,000	2,000	325
Hydrants	325	325	322	325

Miscellaneous				
FICA, Retirement and Pension Contributions	4,000	3,822	4,500	4,500
Insurance	19,000	23,741	21,000	21,000
Workman's Compensation	4,000	3,698	4,500	4,500
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	<u>\$236,885</u>	<u>\$267,420</u>	<u>\$405,050</u>	<u>\$396,266</u>
Less: Amount of Estimated Revenues, Exclusive of Taxes	\$117,260			
Amount of Taxes to be Raised (Exclusive of School and County Taxes)	\$279,006			

SOURCES OF REVENUE

	Estimated Revenues 1986 (1986-87) \$	Actual Revenues 1986 (1986-87) \$	Selectmen's Budget 1987 (1987-88) \$	Estimated Revenues 1987 (1987-88) \$
Taxes				
Resident Taxes	4,000	\$ 3,790		8,000
Yield Taxes	7,000	10,024		4,000
Interest and Penalties on Taxes	4,000	4,769		400
Inventory Penalties	400	400		2,000
Land Use Change Tax	500	7,157		
Intergovernmental Revenues—State				
Shared Revenue—Block Grant	17,000	21,467		7,000
Highway Block Grant	22,750	22,750		25,810
Reimb. a/c State-Federal Forest Land	6,000	6,610		6,800
Licenses and Permits				
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	24,000	37,947		30,000
Dog Licenses, Fines, Penalties	700	719		700
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees		44		50
Charges for Services				
Income from Departments:	600	1,107		500
Highway Dept. \$107, Police Dept. \$60,				
Fire Dept. \$287, Checklist \$66, Fireworks \$495,				
Garbage Cleanup \$92				

Miscellaneous Revenues			
Interest on Deposits	1,000	40	20,000
Sale of Town Property		30,000	
K.R.S.D. Distribution		5,304	
Juvenile Placement Settlement		8,598	
Other Financing Sources			
Withdrawal from Capital Reserve			12,000
Revenue Sharing Fund	8,031	7,680	
Fund Balance	5,321		
Baptist Pond Road Fund	<u>10,000</u>		
TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS	\$111,302	\$168,406	\$117,260
		\$	

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES **Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1986**

Title of Appropriation	Appropriation	Receipts	Total	Expenditures	Unexpended	Overdraft
GENERAL GOVERNMENT						
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 6,600.00	\$	\$ 6,600.00	\$ 6,241.00	\$ 359.00	\$
Town Officers' Expenses	15,000.00	166.00	15,166.00	15,859.00		693.00
Election and Registration	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,648.00		148.00
Cemeteries	400.00	50.00	450.00	984.00		534.00
Town Buildings	13,800.00		13,800.00	10,939.00	2,861.00	
Planning Board	700.00	620.00	1,320.00	936.00	384.00	
Legal Expenses	3,000.00		3,000.00	3,369.00		369.00
Advertising and Reg. Expenses	550.00		550.00	534.00	16.00	
Contingency Fund	200.00		200.00		200.00	
Kindergarten	2,500.00		2,500.00	2,473.00	27.00	
Property Appraisal and Tax Map	1,000.00		1,000.00	755.00	245.00	
Town Clerk and Tax Coll. Fees	3,000.00	100.00	3,100.00	3,242.00		142.00
PUBLIC SAFETY						
Police Department	11,050.00		11,050.00	10,883.00	167.00	
Fire Department	8,870.00		8,870.00	7,266.00	1,604.00	
Civil Defense	100.00		100.00	23.00	77.00	
F.A.S.T. Squad	250.00		250.00	123.00	127.00	
HIGHWAYS, STREETS & BRIDGES						
Town Maintenance	42,650.00		42,650.00	47,548.00		4,898.00
General Highway Expense	16,900.00	11,331.00	28,231.00	25,447.00	2,784.00	
Highway Block Grant	22,750.00		22,750.00	22,750.00		
Street Lighting	1,800.00		1,800.00	1,658.00	142.00	
SANITATION						
Solid Waste Disposal Comm.	150.00		150.00		150.00	
Transfer Station	18,250.00		18,250.00	18,250.00		
Septage Disposal	1,775.00		1,775.00	2,162.00		387.00

HEALTH					84.00
Miscellaneous					
Water Testing	300.00			84.00	
Kearsarge Visiting Nurse	1,290.00			16.00	284.00
Ambulance	1,500.00			1,287.00	3.00
New London Hospital	700.00			1,500.00	
Animal Control	250.00			700.00	
Vital Statistics	25.00			201.00	49.00
				14.00	11.00
WELFARE					
General Assistance	2,000.00			11.00	1,989.00
Old Age Assistance					
Juvenile Placement	5,000.00			1,586.00	3,414.00
CULTURE & RECREATION					
Library			49.00		
Recreation	2,725.00			2,725.00	49.00
Patriotic Purposes	1,750.00			1,740.00	10.00
Conservation Commission	200.00			200.00	
	1,000.00			1,000.00	
DEBT SERVICES					
Principal on Long Term Notes	8,000.00			8,000.00	
Interest on Long Term Notes	2,000.00			1,569.00	431.00
Interest on Tax Anticipation Notes	4,000.00			26,091.00	534.00
Howard Memorial Church Interest	25.00			25.00	3.00
Other Interest			1,178.00	1,178.00	1,178.00
OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT					
Payment to Capital Reserve:					
Highway	4,000.00			4,000.00	
Library	2,000.00			2,000.00	

MISCELLANEOUS

Hydrants (N.L. Water Prec.)
F.I.C.A. and Retirement
Insurance
Workmen's Compensation

325.00
4,000.00
19,000.00
4,000.00

325.00
4,000.00
19,009.00
4,000.00

322.00
3,822.00
23,741.00
3,698.00

3.00
178.00
302.00

TOTALS

\$236,885.00

\$273,013.00

267,420.00

* Note — None of these indicated receipts have been included in the Revenue Column on Page 3 of Budget.

Net Unexpended Balance

\$ 5,593.00

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Land	\$15,919,825.00
Buildings	15,080,425.00
Utilities	841,520.00
House Trailers, Mobile Homes (53)	<u>390,650.00</u>
TOTAL VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS	\$32,232,420.00
Elderly Exemptions (11)	<u>117,780.00</u>
NET VALUATION FOR TAX RATE COMPUTATION	\$32,114,640.00

Inventories

Distributed in 1986
Returned in 1986

790
750

Elderly Exemptions

Number Granted

12

Current Use

Number of Property Owners Granted
Current Use Exemption in 1986
Number of Acres Exempted
Total Number of Acres Exempted

3
0
70
9,320

FINANCIAL REPORT

TAXES—ALL TOWN FUNDS

Taxes

Property taxes—current year—1986	\$ 588,340.00	
Property taxes—collected in advance	2,174.00	
Resident taxes—current year 1986	3,690.00	
Resident taxes—collected in advance	50.00	
Yield taxes—current year—1986 (incl. \$400 from 1985)	9,624.00	
Property and yield taxes—previous year	127,385.00	
Resident taxes—previous years	100.00	
Land use change tax—current and prior years	7,156.00	
Interest received on delinquent taxes	4,738.00	
Penalties—resident taxes	31.00	
Tax sales redeemed	<u>28,168.00</u>	
Total taxes collected and remitted		\$ 771,456.00

Licenses and Permits

Motor vehicle permit fees	37,947.00	
Dog licenses	728.00	
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	9.00	
All other licenses, permits and fees	<u>47.00</u>	
Total		38,731.00

INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES—ALL FUNDS

From the Federal Government

Revenue sharing grants and interest	<u>7,947.00</u>	
Total		7,947.00

From the State of New Hampshire

Shared revenue	21,467.00	
Highway block grant	22,750.00	
Reimbursable account State-Federal forest land	6,610.00	
All other State monies—		
Reimbursement Forest Fire Bill 4/20/86	<u>236.00</u>	
Total		51,063.00

From Other Local Governments

Reimbursements from other local governments	<u>5,302.00</u>	
Total		5,302.00

CHARGES FOR SERVICES

Rent of town property	40.00	
Other sales and service charges	<u>1,815.00</u>	
Total		1,855.00

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES

Sale of town property	30,000.00	
Interest on investments	23,804.00	
Other miscellaneous revenue	<u>19,822.00</u>	
Total		73,626.00

NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS

Tax anticipation notes	600,000.00	
Yield tax security deposits	<u>250.00</u>	
Total		<u>600,250.00</u>

Total receipts from all sources	1,550,230.00
Cash on hand January 1, 1986	<u>87,022.00</u>
GRAND TOTAL	\$1,637,252.00

EXPENDITURES

General Government

Financial administration	\$ 4,604.00
Judicial and legal	3,369.00
General town buildings	10,939.00
Central administration	20,289.00
Reappraisal of property	755.00
Planning and zoning	936.00
Election and registration	1,648.00
Advertising and regional association	534.00

Public Safety

Police department	10,998.00
Fire department	7,381.00
Civil defense	23.00

Highways, Streets, Bridges

Town maintenance	80,298.00
General highway department	24,073.00
Street Lighting	1,658.00

Sanitation

Solid waste disposal	2,162.00
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Health

Health department	1,387.00
Payments to private hospitals	700.00
Ambulances	1,500.00
Animal control	201.00
Vital statistics	14.00

Human Services

Other vendor payments	1,586.00
Administration	90.00

Culture and Recreation

Library	2,725.00
Parks and other recreation	1,740.00
Patriotic purposes	200.00
Conservation commission	1,000.00

Debt Service

Principal—other long term bonds and notes	8,000.00
Interest—long term bonds and notes (except utility debt)	1,569.00
Interest—tax anticipation notes	26,091.00

Operating Transfers Out

Payments to capital reserve funds	6,000.00
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Miscellaneous

Unallocated FICA, retirement, pension	3,822.00
Insurance	23,741.00
Unemployment compensation	3,698.00
New London water precinct—hydrants	322.00

Unclassified

Payments—tax anticipation notes	350,000.00
Taxes bought by town	24,369.00
Discounts, abatements, refunds	4,107.00
F.A.S.T. Squad	123.00

Howard Memorial Church	23.00	
Cemeteries	984.00	
Payments To Other Governmental Divisions		
to State—dog licenses and marriage licenses	129.00	
Taxes paid to county	90,750.00	
Payments to precincts	<u>8,439.00</u>	
Total payments for all purposes		\$ 732,977.00
Cash on hand December 31, 1987		<u>314,693.00</u>
GRAND TOTAL		\$1,047,670.00

SCHEDULE OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

(As of December 31, 1986)

Long term notes outstanding:

New London Trust Co.—5 years		
@ 10.25%—Fire Truck—orig. 1982		
(general purpose bond)		<u>\$ 8,000.00</u>
Total long term notes outstanding		\$ 8,000.00

DEBT OUTSTANDING

Short-term (TAN's) debt outstanding		
at beginning of fiscal year		\$ 50,000.00
Short-term (TAN's) debt outstanding		
at end of fiscal year		300,000.00

INTERGOVERNMENTAL EXPENDITURES

Kearsarge Regional School District		
and Kindergarten		\$ 571,321.00
Transfer Station		18,250.00
(included internal transfer of		
Revenue Sharing for 1986 and interest)		
Welfare		11.00

SALARIES AND WAGES		\$ 53,813.00
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CASH AND INVESTMENTS AT END OF THIS FISCAL YEAR

Cash and Deposits —Cash on hand,		
CD's, time, checking and		
savings deposits		\$ 314,693.00

EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL GENERAL REVENUE SHARING FUNDS

Other sanitation	proposed	\$ 8,261.00
	actually expended	\$ 7,947.00

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

(As of December 31, 1986)

Town hall, lands and buildings		
and town office	\$ 430,000.00	
Furniture and equipment	25,000.00	
Libraries, lands and buildings	45,000.00	
Furniture and equipment	60,000.00	
Police department equipment	10,000.00	
Fire department, lands and buildings	50,000.00	
Equipment	65,000.00	

Highway department, lands and buildings	35,000.00
Equipment	50,000.00
Materials and supplies	6,000.00
Parks, commons and playgrounds	10,000.00
Town forest:	
50 Acres Brooks Lot	\$14,850.00
74 Acres Clay Webster Page	15,000.00
1 Acre Collins Park	2,240.00
1 Acre Eastman Lot #43	14,670.00
2 Acres Eastman Lot #50	14,100.00
200 Acres Edwards, Goodhue, Little and McDaniels	47,620.00
50 Acres Fogg Land	13,030.00
85 Acres Kinsley Land	16,000.00
1 Acre Kolelemook Lots	20,510.00
20 Acres McDaniel Barton	10,000.00
35 Acres McDonald Knapp	17,270.00
10 Acres Messer Lot	7,000.00
20 Acres Nixon Land	10,000.00
40 Acres Royal Arch	
50 Acres Society Lot	44,210.00
70 Acres Sunapee Heights	<u>26,520.00</u>
	<u>273,020.00</u>
Total	\$1,059,020.00

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash	\$ 314,692.76	
All funds in custody of treasurer	<u>22,076.08</u>	
Total Cash		\$ 336,768.84
Capital Reserve Funds (R.S.A., Chap. 35)	<u>18,500.84</u>	
Total Capital Reserve Funds		18,500.84
Highway truck repair fund from 1986 insurance settlement		<u>1,373.89</u>
Total accounts due to the town		1,373.89
Unredeemed taxes—from tax sale on account of—		
Levy of 1985	24,528.86	
Levy of 1984	17,739.84	
Levy of 1983	<u>9,965.80</u>	
Total unredeemed taxes		52,234.50
Uncollected taxes—including all taxes		
Levy of 1986	161,908.96	
Levy of 1985	<u>386.02</u>	
Total uncollected taxes		<u>162,294.98</u>
Total assets		\$ 571,173.05
Fund balance—December 31, 1985	-16,767.90	
Fund balance—December 31, 1986	+ 26,508.32	
Change in financial condition	43,276.22	

LIABILITIES

(For the year ended December 31, 1986)

Accounts owed by the town:

Highway truck repair fund	
(remainder of 1986 insurance settlement)	\$ 1,373.89
School district(s) tax(es) payable	224,790.00
Tax anticipation notes outstanding	<u>300,000.00</u>

Total accounts owed by the town \$ 526,163.89

Capital reserve funds (offsets similar asset account)	<u>18,500.84</u>
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Total capital reserve funds 18,500.84

Total liabilities \$ 544,664.73

Fund balance 26,508.32

GRAND TOTAL \$ 571,173.05

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1986

— DR. —

	1986	—Levies Of:— 1985	Prior
Uncollected Taxes-			
Beginning of Fiscal Year:			
Property Taxes	\$	\$126,210.18	\$
Resident Taxes		50.00	
Yield Taxes		386.02	
Taxes Committed To Collector:			
Property Taxes	751,566.87		
Resident Taxes	4,250.00		
Land Use Change Taxes	5,352.30		1,804.23
Yield Taxes	10,024.10		
Interest			219.12
Added Taxes:			
Resident Taxes	130.00		
Overpayments:			
a/c Property Taxes	461.23		
Interest Collected on			
Delinquent Property Taxes:		4,413.50	
Penalties Collected on			
Resident Taxes	21.00	10.00	
TOTAL DEBITS	\$771,805.50	\$131,069.70	\$ 2,023.35

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Remittances to Treasurer			
During Fiscal Year:			
Property Taxes	\$590,513.73	\$103,015.96	\$
Resident Taxes	3,740.00	100.00	
Yield Taxes	9,624.10		
Land Use Change Taxes	5,352.30		1,804.23
Interest Collected During Year	105.41	3,138.65	219.12
Penalties on Resident Taxes	21.00	10.00	
Property Taxes Bought by Town		24,369.07	
Yield Tax Deposit 1985	400.00		
Abatements Made During Year:			
Resident Taxes		140.00	50.00
Uncollected Taxes—End of Fiscal Year:			
(As Per Collector's List)			
Property Taxes	161,428.96		
Resident Taxes	480.00		
Yield Taxes		386.02	
TOTAL CREDITS	\$771,805.50	\$131,069.70	\$ 2,023.35

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1986

— DR. —

—Tax Sales on Account of Levies Of—
Previous
Years

	1985	1984	
Balance of Unredeemed Taxes- Beginning Fiscal Year	\$	\$ 16,816.10	\$ 7,164.87
Taxes Sold To Town During Current Fiscal Year*	24,369.07		
Interest Collected After Sale	<u>159.79</u>	<u>923.74</u>	<u>2,800.93</u>
TOTAL DEBITS	\$ 24,528.86	\$ 17,739.84	\$ 9,965.80

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Remittances to Treasurer

During Year:

Redemptions	\$ 8,331.86	\$ 8,786.93	\$ 7,164.87
Interest & Costs After Sale	159.79	923.74	2,800.93
Unredeemed Taxes—End of Fiscal Year	<u>16,037.21</u>	<u>8,029.17</u>	<u> </u>
TOTAL CREDITS	\$ 24,528.86	\$ 17,739.84	\$ 9,965.80

*Amount of Tax Sale(s) sold to town held during current fiscal year, including total amount of taxes, interest and costs to date of sale(s).

TREASURER'S REPORT
From January 1, 1986 — December 31, 1986

Received from Tax Collector

Tax Sales Redeemed		
1983	\$	9,965.80
1984		9,710.67
1985		8,491.65
Property Tax		
1985		103,015.96
1986		58,339.89
Property Tax Interest		
1985		4,413.50
Property Tax Escrow		
1986		2,173.84
Resident Tax		
1985		100.00
1986		3,690.00
Resident Tax Penalties		
1985		10.00
1986		21.00
Resident Tax Escrow		
1986		50.00
Property Tax bought by Town		24,369.07
Yield Tax, 1986		9,624.10
Yield Tax Interest, 1986		1.05
CU Change Tax		
1983		1,804.23
1986		5,352.30
CU Change Tax Interest		
1983		219.12
1986		104.36
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	\$	771,456.54

Received from Town Clerk

Motor Vehicle Permits	\$	37,947.00
Dog Licenses		727.50
Filing Fees		9.00
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	\$	38,683.50

Received from State

State and Federal Forest Land	\$	6,609.94
Block Grant		22,750.44
Revenue Distribution		21,466.53
FF Bill 4/20/86		236.37
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	\$	51,063.28

Miscellaneous Receipts

Planning Board	\$ 620.49
Highway Dept.	1,107.00
Fire Dept.	50.00
Police Dept.	80.00
Recreation Dept.	495.00
Burial Checks	50.00
Sale of Checklist	66.00
Use of Copy Machine	92.13
Cash Drawer	100.00
CU Applications	15.00
Building Permits	12.00
Yield Tax Deposits	250.00
Rent of Hall	1.00
H. Memorial Church, Heat 1985	38.50
Land Sale	29,000.00
NH Insurance, Claim	11,223.88
AT&T	1.20
KRSD, Rebate	5,253.75
Eastman Village, Assessment	48.73
Insurance Study, Refund	23.52
A. B. Gile Ins., Overpayment	9.46
NLT, 1 Day Int. #16869	7.88
Nat'l Geographic, Overpayment	48.70
Garbage Removal, Reimbursement	91.83
General Assistance, Refund	8,597.92
Interest Received:	
SRS, MMIA	984.59
BankEast, CD 53605	4,067.26
NLT, CD 10083	4,719.73
NLT, CD 4009975	391.75
NLT, MMI Savings	7,906.95
NLT, MMIA	4,555.04
NLT, NOW Account	1,170.25
NLT, Tax Anticipation Note 17920	600,000.00
BankEast, CD Redeemed	100,000.00
(invested from Loan 17920)	
SRS, Closed Investment Account	100,000.00
(invested from Loan 17920)	
NLT, Highway Truck Repair, MMIA	1,373.89
(Town invested money)	
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	\$ 882,453.45

US Treasury, Revenue Sharing	\$ 7,680.00	
LSSB, Interest on Rev. Sharing	<u>267.30</u>	
		\$ 7,947.30
TOTAL RECEIPTS RECEIVED IN 1986		<u>\$1,751,604.07</u>
Cash in Bank January 1, 1986		\$ 87,021.99
Receipts for Year	\$1,751,604.07	
Less payments per Selectmen	<u>1,523,933.30</u>	
Increase in Cash in Bank		\$ 227,670.77
NLT, Highway Truck Repair	\$ 1,373.89	
NLT, MMIA	312,281.85	
NLT, NOW Account	<u>1,037.02</u>	
Cash in Bank December 31, 1986		\$ 314,692.76

AMELIA W. ANDERSON
Town Treasurer

SPECIAL FUNDS — 1986
January 1 - December 31

Name of Fund	Beginning Balance	Interest	Income	Ending Balance
Robinson	\$ 677.09	\$ 38.82	\$	\$ 715.91
Royal Arch Cemetery	11,519.51	977.01		12,496.52
Improvement	1,775.89	136.64	100.00	2,012.53
Conservation				
Commission	<u>5,568.64</u>	<u>394.98</u>	<u>887.50</u>	<u>6,851.12</u>
TOTALS	\$19,541.13	\$ 1,547.45	\$ 987.50	\$22,076.08

AMELIA W. ANDERSON
Town Treasurer

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1986

1986 Automobile Permits issued (905)		\$37,947.00
1985 Dog License Issued in 1986		
1 @ 6.50	<u>\$ 6.50</u>	6.50
1985 Dog License Penalty Issued in 1986		
1 @ 2.00	<u>2.00</u>	2.00
1986 Dog Licenses Issued		
26 @ 2.00	52.00	
84 @ 3.50	294.00	
27 @ 6.00	162.00	
10 @ 6.50	65.00	
2 @ 12.00	24.00	
1 @ 20.00	20.00	
1 @ 25.00	<u>25.00</u>	642.00
1986 Dog License Penalties		
9 @ 1.00	9.00	
4 @ 2.00	8.00	
1 @ 4.00	<u>4.00</u>	21.00
1986 Dog Fines		
1 @ 10.00	10.00	
1 @ 46.00	<u>46.00</u>	56.00
Filing Fees for Town Meeting		
9 @ 1.00	<u>9.00</u>	9.00
		<u>\$38,683.50</u>

TOTAL RECEIPTS:	
Paid Treasurer for Automobile Permits	\$37,947.00
Paid Treasurer for Dog Licenses	648.50
Paid Treasurer for Dog Penalties	23.00
Paid Treasurer for Dog Fines	56.00
Paid Treasurer for Filing Fees	<u>9.00</u>
	\$38,683.50

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

DETAIL 1.

Town Officers' Salaries

Louise B. Jacewicz, Selectman	\$ 1,150.00	
Robert Z. Klein, Selectman	1,150.00	
Arnold Putney, Selectman	1,150.00	
Cynthia C. Anderson, Town Clerk	258.75	
Robert E. Moore, Tax Collector	833.75	
Cynthia C. Anderson, Deputy Tax Collector	172.50	
Robert E. Moore, Deputy Town Clerk	115.00	
Amelia W. Anderson, Treasurer	747.50	
Russell LeBrecht, Police Chief	115.00	
Byron Charles, Fire Chief	115.00	
Carlisse Wilson, Trustee of Trust Funds $\frac{1}{4}$	31.25	
Beverly McIntire, Trustee of Trust Funds $\frac{3}{4}$	112.50	
Elizabeth L. Green, Auditor	200.00	
Cora Bresnahan, Overseer of the Poor	90.00	
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	\$	6,241.25

DETAIL 2.

Town Officers' Expenses

Robert E. Moore, Salary	\$ 6,500.00	
George Green, Fee	10.00	
Robert E. Moore, Expenses, Supplies, Postage	333.12	
Louise B. Jacewicz, Expenses	85.50	
Arnold Putney, Expenses	79.59	
Cynthia C. Anderson, Reimbursement, Convention	194.28	
Cynthia C. Anderson, Expenses, Supplies, Postage	10.82	
Robert E. Moore, Reimbursement, Convention	242.82	
N.H. Municipal Assn., Dues and Fees	447.98	
N.H. City and Town Clerks Assn., Dues	12.00	
Registry of Deeds, Sullivan County, Fees	341.33	
N.H. Assn. Assessing Off., Dues	20.00	
Treasurer, State of N.H., Licenses and Fees	129.00	
N.H. Tax Coll. Assn., Dues and Fees	45.00	
N.H. Municipal Sec. Assn., Dues	10.00	
Town and Country, Convention, Deposit	50.00	
Balsams, Convention, Deposit	100.00	
Vercom, Inc., Copy Machine Supplies	325.46	
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., Supplies	3.71	
Loring, Short & Harmon, Supplies	105.50	
National Market Reports, Inc.	29.00	
Country Press, Inc., Town Reports and Checks	1,831.02	
U.S. Postal Service, Postage and Envelopes	762.93	
Datown, Inc., Computer Service	1,099.59	
Wheeler & Clark, Inc., Dog Tags	51.99	
Sullivan County Probate Court, Fee	2.50	
Branhan Publishing Co., Town Clerk Booklets	34.60	
Twin State Typewriter, Inc., Office Supplies	865.60	
Conn. Valley Off. Machine, Inc., Copier and Supplies	1,587.54	
Kearsarge Shopper, Advertising	179.50	
Argus-Champion, Advertising	86.34	
Kim-Pat, Inc., Supplies	281.00	
Elwin Philbrick, Release Fee	1.00	
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		15,858.72

Town Clerk's and Tax Collector's Fees

Cynthia C. Anderson, Town Clerk, Fees	\$ 1,785.00	
Robert E. Moore, Tax Collector, Fees	1,357.00	
Cynthia C. Anderson, Town Clerk, Cash Advance	50.00	
Robert E. Moore, Tax Collector, Cash Advance	50.00	
		<u>3,242.00</u>
Total Town Officers' Expenses	\$	19,100.72

DETAIL 3.**Election and Registration**

Dorothy Anderson, Supervisor, Checklist	\$ 101.25	
Florence Butcher, Supervisor, Checklist	28.13	
Erma Cole, Supervisor, Checklist	138.08	
Grace Patten, Supervisor, Checklist	167.38	
Doris Sayer, Supervisor, Checklist	30.00	
George Green, Moderator	77.50	
Albert Jones, Moderator	35.00	
Vivian Attardo, Ballot Clerk	42.50	
Daniel E. Daly, Ballot Clerk	77.50	
Fred Davis, Ballot Clerk	77.50	
Frank Fremgen, Ballot Clerk	42.50	
Gladys Fremgen, Ballot Clerk,	42.50	
Constance Jones, Ballot Clerk	42.50	
Nancy Putney, Ballot Clerk	35.00	
Deborah Rearick, Ballot Clerk	77.50	
Warren White, Ballot Clerk	35.00	
Cora Bresnahan, Ballot Counter	7.50	
Janet LeBrecht, Ballot Counter	7.50	
Rita Morgan, Ballot Counter	7.50	
Joan Robinson, Ballot Counter	7.50	
Nancy Vanderwart, Ballot Counter	7.50	
Dees, 9 to 5, Sec. Service	123.88	
Argus-Champion, Advertising	240.74	
Howard Memorial Church, 2 Meals, 2 Meetings	150.25	
Louise B. Jacewicz, Reimbursement, Food, Primary	22.40	
Erma Cole, Expenses	23.69	
		<u>\$ 1,648.30</u>

DETAIL 4.**Cemeteries**

April Butcher, Wages	\$ 45.00	
Ronald Butcher, Wages	80.00	
David Patten, Wages, Expenses, Equip. Rental	469.99	
John Patten, Wages	42.50	
Grace Patten, Wages	60.00	
Steven Patten, Wages	15.00	
Albert Wood, Jr., Wages	60.00	
Dorothy Wood, Wages	40.00	
Wayne Wood, Wages	49.50	
Newport Hardware, Grass Seed	18.00	
Country Store, Misc. Expenses	11.38	
Bristol, Sweet & Assoc., Inc., Map	10.00	
		<u>\$ 983.87</u>

DETAIL 5.**Town Hall and Other Town Buildings**

Elba Jillson, Wages	\$	4,277.88	
Lucy Jillson, Wages		231.63	
Elba Jillson, Mileage, Equip. Rental, Supplies		512.40	
Country Store, Supplies		185.42	
Kidder Oil Service, Fuel		1,985.68	
Corbett Oil Co., Inc., Heater Service		24.24	
Corbett Oil Co., Inc., Incinerator Toilet, Library		1,581.94	
Clarkes' Servistar, Supplies		93.19	
Cote and Reney, Lumber, Supplies		8.60	
Corliss Abbott, Septage Removal		65.00	
Gary Dashner, Electrical Inspection		310.27	
AT&T, Consumer Products		44.40	
New England Telephone		582.65	
Public Service of N.H.		867.71	
New London Fuel, Plumbing Service		20.36	
David B. Shedd, Carpet Cleaning		58.00	
Mac Charles, Plumbing Service		89.89	
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	\$		10,939.26

DETAIL 6.**Planning Board**

U.S. Postal Service, Postage and Certified Mail	\$	483.47	
Janet Booker, Expenses		30.17	
Datown Computer, Inc., Labels		51.62	
Conn. Valley Off. Machine, Inc., Supplies		290.48	
Country Press, Printing		30.00	
Argus-Champion, Advertising		50.40	
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	\$		936.14

DETAIL 7.**Legal Expenses**

Daschbach & Kelley	\$		3,369.37
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DETAIL 8.**Regional Associations**

Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council	\$		534.00
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DETAIL 9.**Kindergarten**

School Administration District No. 32	\$		2,473.00
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DETAIL 10.**Police Department**

Russell LeBrecht, Salary	\$	5,200.00	
Harold A. Wheeler, Wages		137.50	
Fred Davis, Wages		30.00	
Village Service Center, Fuel and Repairs		500.61	
Heath & Lull, Fuel		348.40	
AA Auto Parts, Supplies		94.88	
Paul and Son, Supplies		123.66	
Colonial Pharmacy, Film		66.06	
Flash Photo, Film and Developing		8.70	
S & J Auto Parts, Supplies		3.60	
D & S Auto, Supplies		28.00	

State of N.H., Radio Repair	26.06	
Treasurer, State of N.H., Roof Lights	95.00	
Wheeler Eng. Co., Inc.	84.00	
T.A.B., Police Equipment	484.14	
Communications Systems Center	216.00	
John Grappone, Inc., Repairs	46.08	
Moreys' Uniforms	49.95	
Town of Newport, N.H., Dispatch Service	2,279.00	
U.S. Postal Service	27.00	
N.H. Assn. Police, Conference	250.00	
New England Telephone	377.25	
Russell LeBrecht, Expenses	19.35	
R & R Communications, Inc.	387.28	
		\$ 10,882.52

DETAIL 11.

Retirement and Social Security

Treasurer, State of N.H., Town Share Social Security	\$ 3,822.31
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DETAIL 12.

Fire Department

Public Service of N.H.	\$ 272.35
AT&T Consumer Products	72.47
New England Telephone	471.67
Kidder Oil Service	265.35
Country Store, Gas and Supplies	342.94
U.S. Postal Service	5.00
Upper Valley Regional Assn., Mutual Aid	35.00
Kearsarge Mutual Aid	10.00
Newport Rentals	96.46
Town of Hanover, Dispatch Service	512.98
Donald Heath, Hydrant Supplies	191.25
Yager Const. Co., 1985 Building Repairs	1,731.40
Cote & Reney Lumber Co., 1985 Building Supplies	298.61
Kenneth Rodgers, 1985 Supply Reimbursement	245.90
Newport Rentals, Vehicle Inspection	50.00
Motorola, Inc., Equipment	702.00
R & R Communications, Inc.	68.92
R. P. Johnson & Son., Shovel	2.79
Middlesex Fire Equipment	1,199.01
R & L Auto Parts	38.75
David Reney, Forest Fire Payment	43.87
William Anderson, Forest Fire Payment	44.58
Sue Anderson, Forest Fire Payment	16.56
Russell LeBrecht, Forest Fire Payment	35.16
Phillip LeBrecht, Forest Fire Payment	11.72
Dallas Patten, Forest Fire Payment	63.94
Donald Heath, Forest Fire Payment	35.16
Byron Charles, Forest Fire Payment	43.87
Wesley Charles, Forest Fire Payment	46.20
Barry Dashner, Forest Fire Payment	16.87
Diane Brown, Forest Fire Payment	11.04
Scott Gambino, Forest Fire Payment	5.52
Timothy Howlett, Forest Fire Payment	5.52
Frank Anderson, Forest Fire Payment	27.00

Harold A. Wheeler, Forest Fire Payment	23.44	
Lynn Worthen, Forest Fire Payment	23.44	
Warren George, Forest Fire Payment	23.44	
William Huntoon, Forest Fire Payment	22.08	
Charles Glasscock, Forest Fire Payment	22.08	
Brent Emmon, Forest Fire Payment	22.08	
William Brown, Forest Fire Payment	22.08	
Howard Anderson, Forest Fire Payment and Expenses	38.44	
Bernard Manning, Forest Fire Payment	27.00	
Dallas R. Patten, Forest Fire Payment	33.12	
		\$ 7,266.05

DETAIL 13.

Civil Defense

Frank Anderson, Expenses	\$ 23.00
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DETAIL 14.

FAST Squad

Amelia W. Anderson, Expenses, Oxygen Tank	\$ 4.50	
Colonial Pharmacy	18.48	
Dorothy Anderson, Recertification Fees	100.00	
		\$ 122.98

DETAIL 15.

Town Maintenance

Summer

Russell LeBrecht, Wages	\$ 7,764.42	
Paul Couture, Wages	4,880.14	
Russell LeBrecht, Mileage and Expenses	1,071.65	
Paul Couture, Expenses	30.00	
David Reney, Equipment Rental	1,735.00	
Town of New London, Sweeper Rental	50.00	
L. E. Weed & Son	4,654.02	
Newport Sand and Gravel, Inc.	1,483.78	
Blaktop, Inc.	4,494.90	
N.H. Bituminous Co., Inc., Sealer	9,439.10	
Health Insurance Trust Inc.	240.86	
Armco Const. Prod., Culverts	1,363.40	
R. P. Johnson, Supplies	97.80	
Messers Dairy, Hay	30.00	
		\$ 37,335.07

Winter

Russell LeBrecht, Wages	\$ 10,263.70	
Donald Hufault, Wages	65.00	
Edward Partridge, Wages	232.50	
Phillip LeBrecht, Wages	80.00	
Peter Abair, Wages	930.00	
Warren George, Wages	32.50	
Paul Couture, Wages	2,399.50	
John Brown, Mowing Wages	100.00	
George Hodskins, Mowing Wages	100.00	
Russell LeBrecht, Mileage and Expenses	1,188.25	
Russell LeBrecht, Int. Truck Rental	1,062.50	
Health Insurance Trust Inc.	200.70	

David Reney, Equipment Rental	105.00
R. P. Johnson, Salt and Supplies	156.34
International Salt	367.43
George Smith Construction, Equipment Rental	318.50
Eldon Owens, Equipment Rental	384.75
Newport Sand and Gravel, Inc.	4,961.19
L. E. Weed & Son	2,583.70
United Construction, Baptist Pond Rd. Contract	6,460.00
Town of Sunapee, Equipment Rental	675.00
Blaktop, Inc.	296.80
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	\$ 32,963.36
Total Town Maintenance	\$ 70,298.43
Highway Block Grant	22,750.00
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	\$ 47,548.43

DETAIL 16.

General Expense of Highway

Goshen Auto Wrecking	\$ 51.10
Donovan Spring, Inc.	520.04
Merriam-Graves Corporation	678.93
Arnold Putney, Welding	64.00
S & L Auto Parts	61.40
Cote & Reney Lumber	104.77
AA Auto Parts	2,024.85
Country Store	194.98
Atlantic Plow Blade Co.	640.61
Grappone Ford, Inc.	151.42
Treasurer, State of N.H.	80.00
Argus-Champion, Advertising	23.96
Wilson Tire, Inc.	118.36
Stetsons Blacksmithing	179.60
R & L Auto Parts	54.15
Fleury's Small Engine Repair	44.70
Jordan Milton Machinery Inc.	1,940.23
Barney Bass & Co., Inc.	40.80
E. W. Sleeper Co.	385.55
Clarkes' Servistar	37.89
Village Service Center	53.00
R. P. Johnson	109.72
D & S Auto Electrical	40.99
B & B Chain Co.	340.40
Ed's Equipment	82.70
Chadwick-Baross Inc.	768.25
Babcock Equipment, Inc.	84.70
Sanel Auto Parts	119.14
S & J Auto Parts	88.45
Leon Geil, Consultation, Baptist Pond Rd.	161.50
Stones Auto Body*	939.00
Grappone Ford, Inc.*	8,909.99
New England Telephone	501.56
Kidder Oil Service	3,899.65
Public Service of N.H.	347.87

Cheever Tire Service	65.64	
M & M Equipment, Inc.	<u>138.51</u>	
Total		\$ 24,072.86
Plus Internal Transfer to Truck Repair Fund (for 1987 use)		<u>1,373.89</u>
Total		\$ 25,446.75
*Truck accident costs — covered by insurance settlement		

DETAIL 17.

Street Lighting

Public Service of N.H.		\$ 1,657.60
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DETAIL 18.

Garbage Removal

Town of Sunapee, Transfer Station		\$ 18,250.00
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DETAIL 18A

Solid Waste

Sullivan County Refuse District		\$ 2,162.33
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DETAIL 19.

Health, Hospitals, Ambulance, Nursing Care

State of N.H. Water Supply Lab., Fees	\$ 16.00	
Kearsarge Visiting Nurse Assn.	1,287.40	
New London Ambulance	1,500.00	
New London Hospital	700.00	
David Patten, Wages	<u>83.86</u>	
		\$ 3,587.26

DETAIL 20.

Animal Control

Fox Run Kennel	\$ 100.00	
Wendell Veterinary Clinic	<u>101.00</u>	
		\$ 201.00

DETAIL 21.

Vital Statistics

Cynthia Anderson, Town Clerk Fees		\$ 14.00
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DETAIL 22.

General Assistance

Treasurer, State of N.H.		\$ 11.00
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DETAIL 23.

Juvenile Placement Costs

Orion House, Inc.	\$ 1,435.92	
Stephen Catalano, A.S.C.W.	<u>150.00</u>	
		\$ 1,585.92

DETAIL 24.

Library

Corbett Oil Co., Fuel	\$ 260.73	
AT&T Consumer Prod.	24.35	
New England Telephone	98.00	
Public Service of N.H.	43.22	
Dartmouth Bookstore, Books	123.76	
Baker & Taylor, Books	97.68	
Brodart Co., Books	<u>511.74</u>	

National Geographic Magazine	97.40	
Demco, Books	12.87	
University Book Service	61.57	
J. D. Heade Co., Inc.	4.95	
Libby A. Cass Trustees*	<u>1,388.73</u>	
		\$ 2,725.00

*See Library Trustees report for itemization of this amount.

DETAIL 25.

Recreation

Colonial Pharmacy	\$ 18.12	
McKenzie Rental	321.60	
Kathryn Murphy, Instructor, Wages	400.00	
Atlas Display Fireworks, Inc.*	<u>1,000.00</u>	
		\$ 1,739.72

*Donations of \$495 applied to this bill.

DETAIL 26.

Patriotic Purposes

American Legion Post #40, Services, Memorial Day	\$ 200.00
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DETAIL 27.

Conservation Commission

N.H. Assn. of Conservation Comm., Dues	\$ 40.00	
U.S. Postal Service	22.00	
Country Press, Inc.	44.50	
N.H. Fish and Game, Subscription	6.00	
Conservation Fund	<u>887.50</u>	
		\$ 1,000.00

DETAIL 28.

Bonds, Term Notes, Capital Reserve

Library Capital Reserve	\$ 2,000.00	
Highway Capital Reserve	4,000.00	
New London Trust Co. (Fire Truck Payment)	<u>8,000.00</u>	
		\$ 14,000.00

DETAIL 29.

Interest

Howard Memorial Church	\$ 22.50	
New London Trust Co.		
(Tax. Anticipation Loan—1985)	685.27	
New London Trust Co.		
(Tax. Anticipation Loan—1986)	25,405.47	
New London Trust Co.		
(Fire Truck Loan, Interest)	<u>1,569.43</u>	
		\$ 27,682.67

DETAIL 30.

Hydrants

New London-Springfield Water Precinct	\$ 322.00
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DETAIL 31.

Insurance

A. B. Gile, Inc.	\$ 23,254.46	
Alexander and Alexander	<u>487.00</u>	
		\$ 23,741.46

DETAIL 32.**Unemployment Compensation**

State of N.H. Unemployment Security	\$	4.21	
N.H. Compensation Trust Fund		<u>3,693.55</u>	
	\$		3,697.76

DETAIL 33.**Taxes Bought by Town**

Robert E. Moore, Tax Collector	\$		24,369.07
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DETAIL 34.**Discounts, Abatements, Refunds**

Jay Bewley, Abatement	\$	16.44	
Kenneth Butcher, Abatement		22.28	
Thomas Wade, Abatement		553.72	
John Thornton, Refund		19.00	
Armand Lavigne, Abatement		5.99	
Richard A. Cole, Refund		82.00	
Robert Andrews, Refund		679.81	
George Tardiff, Refund		788.03	
Roy Bernhardt, Refund		571.98	
William Hart, Refund		767.45	
Gerard O. Sevigny, Refund		9.00	
Gardner D. Yenawine, Refund		343.23	
James D. Houghton, Refund		9.00	
Guy Wheeler, Abatement		118.13	
City of Nashua, N.H. Arcand Refund		22.00	
Ray and Margaret Franklin, Refund		78.50	
Edward D. Sacks, Refund		<u>20.00</u>	
	\$		4,106.56

DETAIL 35.**Property Appraisal and Tax Map Costs**

Paul Franklin, Appraisals	\$	415.00	
Bristol & Sweet Assoc. Inc.		<u>340.00</u>	
	\$		755.00

DETAIL 36.**Town Construction (Baptist Pond Road from 1985 Fund)**

United Construction Corp.	\$		10,000.00
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DETAIL 37.**Temporary Loans**

New London Trust Co.			
1985 Tax Anticipation Note	\$	50,000.00	
Sugar River Savings Bank			
1986 Tax Anticipation Note	(transfer)	100,000.00	
BankEast			
1986 Tax Anticipation Note	(transfer)	100,000.00	
New London Trust Co.			
1986 Tax Anticipation Note		<u>300,000.00</u>	
	(incl. \$200,000 internal transfer)	\$	550,000.00

DETAIL 38.
State and County
Treasurer, Sullivan County \$ 90,750.00

DETAIL 39.
Precincts
Eastman Village District Precinct \$ 7,248.00
New London-Springfield Water System Precinct 1,191.00
\$ 8,439.00

DETAIL 40.
School District
Kearsarge Regional School District \$ 568,848.00
TOTAL \$1,523,933.30

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS — 1986

A list of Cemetery Trust Funds is posted at the town offices and anyone wishing information about any of these may contact the trustees and a complete report of the funds in question will be given. All cemetery trust funds are invested at the Lake Sunapee Savings Bank in 2½-year certificates at 10%, 8% and 7% interest.

Balance of Principal

12/31/85
\$7,090.00

Balance of Principal

12/31/86
\$7,090.00

Income Balance

12/31/85
\$404.65*

Income Earned

\$706.51

Income Expended

\$44.31

Income Balance

12/31/86
\$1,066.85

CAPITAL RESERVE AND OTHER SPECIAL FUNDS — 1986

Name of Fund	Balance 12/31/85	Interest	Income	Expended	Balance 12/31/86
Highway Equip.	\$ 7,470.53	\$ 973.20	\$ 4,000.00	\$	\$12,443.73
Geo. & B.J. Green					
Library Fund	1,500.00	164.97		164.97	1,500.00
Library Bldg. Fund	<u>2,119.07</u>	<u>438.04</u>	<u>2,000.00</u>	<u> </u>	<u>4,557.11</u>
TOTALS	\$11,089.60	\$ 1,576.21	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 164.97	\$18,500.84

* This money will be turned over to the Cemetery Commissioner at a later date this spring.

This is to certify that the information in these reports is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

BEVERLY A. McINTIRE
Chairperson
PATRICIA ROBERTS

AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Citizens of the Town of Springfield, N.H.

I have examined the financial statements of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Trustees of the Trust Funds, and other Town Officers. I have compared their accounts, vouchers, and bank statements of funds on deposit, and find these records to be in agreement, and I believe these records to be a true record of the town business for the year ending December 31, 1986.

GEORGE GREEN
Auditor

January 30, 1987

CEMETERY COMMISSION FINANCIAL REPORT — 1986

SWIFT FUND

Swift Fund Balance as of 12-31-85	\$ 226.42	
Interest	<u>12.77</u>	
Swift Fund Balance as of 12-31-86		\$ 239.19

CHECKBOOK

Balance in checkbook as of 12/31/85	\$ 102.34	
Interest (C.D.)	29.73	
Interest — Josie M. Philbrick Cemetery Fund	<u>14.58</u>	
Total		\$ 146.65

DISBURSEMENTS

Beverly McIntire (Flowers)	<u>35.25</u>	
Balance as of 12/31/86		\$ 111.40

Two cemetery lots sold.
Four interments.

DAVID PATTEN
GRACE PATTEN
Cemetery Commission

CIVIL DEFENSE REPORT — 1986

This year, we continued our emergency training by attending seminars held by the federal government (FEMA — Federal Emergency Management Association) and the State Civil Defense Agency. These seminars included classes on summer storms, hazardous waste materials, nuclear incidents, emergency medical services, business and industry emergency planning.

We updated our town emergency plan and annex's as is required by the state. We will continue our training in all phases of natural and nuclear disasters.

Thank you for your support.

FRANK ANDERSON
Civil Defense Director

CONSERVATION COMMISSION REPORT — 1986

The Conservation Commission continued to meet on the first Thursday of each month in 1986.

Most of our time during the past year was spent reviewing dredge and fill permits, and continuing our assessment of the town forest land. We are at present looking into hiring a forester to oversee some cutting on town land, and possibly some timber stand improvement operations.

Hank Kidder resigned due to his many other obligations. All the commission members wish to thank him for his help in getting the conservation commission active again.

Respectfully submitted,
MICHAEL HOWARD
Chairman

SPRINGFIELD VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT — 1986

I would like to thank the townspeople and the Volunteer Fire Department for another successful year.

Many of the Fire Department members have given their time to become N.H. State Certified Fire Fighters. This schooling involves 90 hours of training and classroom work. It is gratifying to know they gave their time and effort for this achievement.

We are presently working on holding a state-certified course of instruction in our Town for all new members. Hopefully it will be started this spring.

It has been a pleasure working with the townspeople and we are looking for a safe and fire-free 1987.

Emergency fire number: 1-643-2222.

Respectfully submitted,

BYRON "MAC" CHARLES

Fire Chief

SPRINGFIELD FAST SQUAD — 1986

This past year saw the recertification of all squad members and we continue to work closely with the fire and police departments and with our mutual aid towns.

The squad is currently looking for new members. Anyone interested, please call Frank Anderson, 763-9686, for information. We are hoping to run a basic first aid class for the Fire Department this year.

In an emergency — call New London Dispatch at 526-2626 and the squad members will be alerted by means of pagers along with the New London Ambulance. This can also be done thru the **Newport Dispatch at 863-3232.**

Total runs this year — 14.

Squad Members

FRANK ANDERSON, Chief EMT

DOROTHY ANDERSON, EMT (State of N.H.)

CYNTHIA ANDERSON, 1st Responder

HOWARD ANDERSON, 1st Responder

Our fourth year and still going strong. Our humble beginning started March 18, 1983, following that year's town meeting by one week. We became incorporated by the State of New Hampshire on March 9, 1984. Our present need is to increase the membership in order to accomplish current goals. We are working on cataloging and indexing the town's many early records and books. We hope in this coming year, volunteers will come forth to help on this project. It's a big task.

On June 30, 1986, the State of New Hampshire, Division of Historical Resources, Concord, N.H., notified the Springfield Board of Selectmen that the Springfield Town Hall and Howard Memorial Methodist Church building had been entered in the National Register of Historic Places on June 5, 1986.

Saturday, July 5, 1986, saw the grounds of the Memorial Building transformed into the annual antique fair/flea market. This event has been held each year. This year, less dealers participated, thus making the event unprofitable. The society has decided to discontinue holding the event.

On September 1, 1986, the society mailed a lengthy newsletter informing all members and many townspeople about the national register appointment for the town hall, giving all the background and historical interest connected with the building.

The society met on September 10, 1986, and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

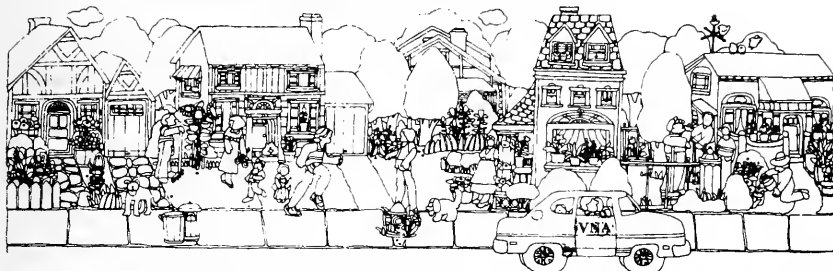
President — Andrew D'Amico
Vice-President — Doris Sayer
Treasurer — Daniel E. Daly
Secretary — Robert E. Moore

We hope that you will participate in our goal to collect and preserve material which may help to illustrate the history of Springfield, its settlement, development, progress and population. This is our invitation to you to join us and to make a personal commitment to the success of the society. Your membership donation will direct and fuel our goals for the future. The total membership count to date is 72.

Our meetings are now being held in the Memorial Building at 7:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month. These meetings will be workbee sessions only. There will not be a formal meeting or lecture.

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT E. MOORE
Secretary

**KEARSARGE VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION
ANNUAL REPORT — 1986**



The Kearsarge Visiting Nurse Association provides medically necessary home health services to the residents of our 10-town catchment area. KVNA staff is available 24 hours per day, 7 days per week throughout the year. Our compassionate professional staff assist the patient and family with a wide variety of health care needs.

KVNA is proud of its tradition of excellence. We are your non-profit, state licensed, Medicare certified, home health care provider.

Your town appropriations serve as "insurance" that essential nursing and clinic services continue uninterrupted to those residents who are in need of care.

Below are the services provided to your town residents in 1986:

Home Health Care Visits	Number of Visits
Skilled Nursing	195
Physical Therapy	35
Speech Therapy	0
Occupational Therapy	0
Medical Social Worker	0
Home Health Aide	84
Homemaker	39
Maternal Child Health Visits	Number of Visits
Skilled Nursing	53
Homemaker	14
Adult Health Clinics	Number of Visits
Clinic Contacts	41
Child Health Clinics	Number of Visits
Clinic Contacts	31

Your support and confidence in our organization makes it possible for KVNA to continue to provide cost effective home health care.

Robin Gallup, RN, BSN
Co-director

Tanya Wilkie, RN, BSN
Co-director

Your Town Representatives on our Board of Directors are:

Dr. Robert Klein

Nancy Watkins, R.N.

GRANTHAM-SPRINGFIELD KINDERGARTEN ANNUAL REPORT — 1986

Our kindergarten celebrates its eleventh anniversary this year. We have 16 beautiful and delightful children.

Individualized phonics, word building, handwriting and math continue to be the core of our program. "Big Books," story comprehension, and read-at-home books expand our readiness program. The writing of individual stories under the guidance of Mabel Patten has expanded. Guided speeches on a variety of themes have given the children lots of self-confidence. Once a week, a tutor from Grantham School reads and plays games with the kindergarten children.

This year we walked to the Libbie Cass Library on a weekly basis to listen to stories and borrow books. Thanks to Celeste Klein for making this experience fun. In October, Mr. Manning demonstrated fire equipment and fire safety. The children sat on the fire truck and squirted water from a hose. In November, we had a Thanksgiving Feast with Indians and Pilgrims. We visited Colby-Sawyer College to see the Jelly Bean Players in a Mime Production. The kindergarten participated in the annual Grantham Christmas show and did a great job. Santa visited us before Christmas. In January, we went on an old-fashioned sleigh ride at Forest Hill. In the spring, we will visit Grantham Library and the Montshire Museum.

A special thanks to Mabel Patten, who is our indispensable aide. Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Wentzell for arranging the sleigh ride. Thanks to Mr. Hodge for baking a "box" cake. Thanks to Mrs. Stamper for teaching us sign language. Also thanks to the wonderful parents who help us with snack and art: Linda Bohrer, Cindy Dyer, Martha Jones, Liz Manning, Janet Roberts and Pat Roberts. And of course thanks to Lucy and Elba Jillson. Their caring helps in so many ways. Thanks so much to the parents for sharing their children.

With love,

ANNE McGRODY

Teacher

Springfield

James Chartier
Brendan Donegan
Edwin Hodge
Armand Hufault
Elizabeth Manning
Jessica Roberts
Kevin Roberts

Grantham

Kate Bohrer
Laura Dyer
William Follensbee
Heather Noyes
Katie Stamper
Matthew Underhill

Croydon—Tuition

Amanda Currier
Blake Hughlock
William Hutchins

SUPERVISOR OF THE KINDERGARTEN REPORT — 1986

This year the kindergarten has experienced a successful transition from its original teacher, Janet Booker, to a new teacher who has used the existing curriculum and guidelines. We can truly be proud that our cooperative kindergarten has continued to flourish and support the needs of our young children. So many children in New Hampshire still do not have the advantages of a public kindergarten; we are indeed fortunate! Those who have had the good fortune to deal with young children have known and experienced Christa McAuliffe's words: "We reach for the stars; we teach." What more important goal could we have?

For the year ahead, we are fortunate to have Janet Booker once again to guide the kindergarten. This time as its supervisor. As the kindergarten moves ahead towards the future, the following description of the supervisor's office may prove to be helpful.

My best wishes to the children, parents and teachers of this most vital part of our community!

Proposed Description for the Office of Supervisor of the Kindergarten

The Supervisor of the Kindergarten is elected by the townspeople each year. The responsibilities of the office include:

- A. Overseeing the courteous interaction between the towns of Springfield and Grantham in this cooperative endeavor.
- B. Acting as an intermediary in any parent/teacher interaction whenever necessary.
- C. Advises Selectmen in/of any issues involving buildings and grounds.

In conjunction with the office of the Superintendent of Schools in Lebanon, the responsibilities of the office shall also include:

- A. Establishing a yearly budget.
- B. Supervising teacher hiring and performance.
- C. Adopting appropriate curriculum.
- D. Advising all parties of any changes in the cooperative agreement between the two towns.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH D'AMICO

Supervisor of the Kindergarten 1986

TRUSTEES OF THE LIBBIE A. CASS MEMORIAL LIBRARY REPORT - 1986

The Libbie A. Cass Memorial Library continues to function well with Celeste Klein as our volunteer librarian and her many volunteer assistants. Our tutoring program continues and is available to any elementary, middle school or senior high Springfield student. We have been able to help several this year, bringing them to where they no longer need help. The copy machine is used frequently by the townspeople and the price remains 10¢ a copy. Copies for school assignments are free up to 5 copies. The Polaroid cameras are available also. Unfortunately not many have taken advantage of the use of them.

After the March election we welcomed Terry Davis as our new member. She has become our secretary with Marilyn Johnson, treasurer and Muriel Tinkham, chairperson.

We conducted two reading programs. One was held in the spring with prizes awarded at a Maypole Party on May 1. The Kearsarge Bookshelf in New London gave us two gift certificates which were awarded to Gina Gambino and Beth Wheeler. Our second program was conducted this past fall with the prizes awarded at our annual Christmas Party. These awards were given to us by Fun and Games of New London.

Two \$100 scholarships were awarded to Todd McIntire and Chris Currier at the Kearsarge Regional High School Graduation in June.

In July the Book and Bake Sale netted us about \$200. This money will be used for a 1987 scholarship.

In July and August the library conducted a story hour for children under the leadership of Daphne Klein. Children of summer people as well as our own town children attended.

During the fall a group of volunteers met weekly and inventoried the entire book collection — something that had not been done for quite a few years. The card catalog is now being updated and replacements and discards are being made as needed. We hope that with careful discards we can still make room for new books.

Also during the fall the kindergarten came weekly to the library on Tuesday mornings for a story hour. The recorder group under the direction of Anna Harmon continues to rehearse here every week.

Under the direction of Elizabeth Bushueff, Joanne Wheeler and Muriel Tinkham, some of the school children put on two short plays as entertainment for the Christmas party. It was held on December 20th at the Memorial Building. More than 80 people were present and gifts were given to each child. We are able to provide the party and gifts thanks to donations by the townspeople and the generosity of Maggie Carrington at Fun and Games.

What is the future of our library?

1. We are planning to publish a newsletter telling the townspeople of our activities and our new books.
2. A computer. We are going to explore various ways of obtaining one without expending town funds. We expect that this will be of great value in cataloging as well as being available to the town.
3. New space. We dream of adequate space for books, magazines, copier, computer, storage, study area, work area for the librarian, meetings — a place where everyone can come and find something they can use.

Meanwhile we have many people to thank: those who help to stretch our book budget by giving us books; others who volunteer at the desk, tutoring, repairing books, cataloging, lending paintings and collections for display, helping with parties and plays, baking cookies; businessmen who have been so generous; Elba who keeps us warm, clean and shoveled out; and especially Celeste who gives us many hours each week cataloging, buying books and co-ordinating volunteer hours.

Respectfully submitted,

TERRY DAVIS
MARILYN JOHNSON
MURIEL TINKHAM
Chairperson

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT — 1986

Number of books January, 1986		9,100
Books purchased:		
Adult	182	
Children	112	
Books donated		
Adult	190	
Children	<u>102</u>	
	586	
Books discarded	<u>121</u>	
Total books added for year		<u>465</u>
Number of books January, 1986		9,100
Number of books December, 1986		9,565
Books loaned		
Adult	1,310	
Children	<u>1,249</u>	
		2,559

Library hours: Tuesday 3-5, 6-8 P.M., Thursday 3-7 P.M.

This year saw a thorough weeding of the collection, primarily to make room for the new books as the library is running out of shelf space. Books in battered condition and those out of date were discarded. We continue to participate in Area Forum 11 of the State Library System which keeps us informed of activities of the State Library and other public libraries. We also belong to Librarians of the Upper Valley (LUV), a cooperative, which entitles us to discounts on books, tapes and supplies from selected jobbers. This membership stretches our book budget. It is important that we retain our state accreditation in order to benefit from the help provided by the State Library.

Thanks to Elizabeth Bushueff, Betty Burch, Anna Harmon, Anne Lape, Priscilla Meyer, Alice Nulsen, Barbara Reney, Lena Thompson, Marj Thomson, Nancy Vanderwart and Linda Welsh — we are able to stay open eight hours a week. This year most of the above also devoted many hours to the taking of an inventory of the collection. Margaret Bancroft deserves thanks for mending many of our wounded books and restoring them to the shelves rather than the trash barrel.

Thanks also to Daphne Klein for conducting a successful summer story hour program. The kindergarten continues to come weekly for story hour during the spring and fall.

The library trustees continue their active support, not only in the activities mentioned above in which they took part, but also in the tutoring program as well as their concern for the library and its future.

A new gas-fired toilet replaced our previous Destroylet.

The Polarioid cameras have been lent out many times and we remind everyone that they are available for borrowing.

Volunteers are always welcome and needed. We urge everyone to visit the library and take advantage of our modest but useful and entertaining collection.

CELESTE KLEIN,
Librarian

PLANNING BOARD ANNUAL REPORT — 1986

The Springfield Planning Board held 12 regular meetings and also met in two special meetings and one work session during the year.

Approval by the board was given for the following: 3 subdivisions with a total of 10 lots, 2 minor lot line changes, 1 annexation, 6 driveway permits, and 1 inspection station.

A committee of three members was appointed to send out a questionnaire on zoning and growth in the town. The committee members appointed were Constance Jones, Joanne Wheeler and Michael Kancer. 700 questionnaires were sent out to residents and non-residents. Over 100 residents responded and were in favor of zoning 7 to 1. The board is currently working on a zoning ordinance for the town and will be holding public hearings in the near future.

Board members Joanne Wheeler and Kenneth Rodgers attended the law lecture series in September.

During the year the board received help from the Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council with the updating of the town's master plan and other matters.

DAVID N. RENNEY

Chairman

JANET BOOKER

Secretary/Treasurer

JOANNE WHEELER

Assistant Secretary

KENNETH RODGERS

RICHARD KIDDER, JR.

GEORGE THOMSON

ROBERT Z. KLEIN, M.D.

Selectman

CONSTANCE JONES

Alternate

BENJAMIN KEZAR

Alternate

MICHAEL KANCER

Alternate

Board Members

UPPER VALLEY-LAKE SUNAPEE COUNCIL — 1986

The Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council is a public, non-profit voluntary association of towns and cities in the Upper Valley and Lake Sunapee areas. Our thirty-one (31) communities are in two states and five counties.

The Council consists of a Board of Directors and a professional staff. Each town or city annually appropriates funds for the Council's operation and sends two representatives to participate on the Board of Directors. The Board elects officers, adopts the annual work program and budget, and develops policies and positions on issues that are important to our communities.

The Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council is the official organization that brings towns and cities within our region together. By bonding together and pooling their resources, local governments have a highly trained, professional staff available to them for a wide variety of services. Areas of expertise include land use planning, master planning, economic and community development, water quality management, transportation, landscape architecture, housing, capital budgeting, historic preservation, downtown revitalization, solid waste planning, recreation and fiscal and environmental impact analysis. The Council also serves as a collective voice for these towns and cities in dealings with state and federal governments, thereby protecting and furthering the needs and interests of our communities.

Half of your local dues to the Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Council supports regional planning and regional programs. Over the past year, the Council:

- prepared the Upper Valley Solid Waste District Management Plan and provided administrative services to the Solid Waste District;
- sponsored and helped organize the Upper Valley Household Hazardous Waste Collection Program and provided assistance to the New London League of Women Voters to help create a similar collection program in the New London area;
- worked with several communities in the Lake Sunapee area to develop a solution to their septic disposal problem;
- maintained our regional data base, including our role as a Regional Data Center for the U.S. Bureau of the Census and updated and published the Economic Profile of the Upper Valley-Lake Sunapee Region which is the primary source of economic and demographic data for our region;
- provided an Economic Development Agent for Sullivan County to help retain and expand employment opportunities in the area;
- testified on several bills before the legislature, including the Connecticut River Resource Authority Bill, and distributed summaries of new and amended legislation to our communities;

- testified on Vermont's 5-year highway plan and New Hampshire's 10-year highway plan;
- sponsored the Municipal Law Lecture Series;
- sponsored two meetings on groundwater protection and distributed model ordinances to each community in the region;
- provided administrative services to the Upper Valley Community Land Trust and worked with the Connecticut River Watershed Council, Hanover Conservation Council and Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests to negotiate voluntary conservation easements and deed restrictions to protect open space and conservation lands;
- continued the regional historic preservation program, including historic surveys, national register nominations and historic preservation plans;
- coordinated efforts to secure state funding for the Upper Valley Transportation Study and the Cheshire Bridge and completed numerous traffic studies for our communities;
- provided technical assistance to Advance Transit and County Coach;
- helped over a dozen communities seek state and federal grant funds by providing technical assistance, data and in most cases, preparing the grant applications;
- conducted a survey of application fees for local land use regulations and distributed the survey results to several communities;
- met on numerous occasions with state department heads and legislators to discuss the needs and interests of our communities; and
- updated and amended the Regional Land Use Plan.

As requested by communities, the Council conducted a large number of impact studies concerning proposed developments, prepared amendments to local subdivision, zoning, site plan review, and earth excavation regulations and provided mapping, drafting and other technical assistance.

The UVLSC has also provided a number of specific services to the Town of Springfield over the past year such as assisting the Town in the preparation of a Land and Water Conservation Fund application for a recreation facility and designing alternative layouts for the recreation site. We also assisted the Town Office Committee. To help the Planning Board update its Master Plan, the Council also provided the Planning board with a new Population Chapter and more recent economic and housing data for other chapters. The lack of a septage disposal site in the Springfield area is a major concern. As a result,

the Council put a great deal of effort into an analysis of septage disposal alternatives and development of a solution which will meet State guidelines.

The Council's staff of professionals stands ready to assist your community in addressing the planning and growth management issues which you will face during the coming year. We also encourage you to become more familiar and involved with the Council, since we are essentially an arm of local government addressing your needs.

NEW LONDON-SPRINGFIELD WATER SYSTEM PRECINCT — 1986

Much of 1986 was devoted to investigating alternative methods for upgrading the quality of our water supply in order to bring it into full compliance with the "Safe Drinking Water Act." A full treatment facility for Morgan Pond vs. the drilling of shallow wells on Colby Point were the two methods compared.

Also under study this year, by a newly formed joint committee of precinct taxpayers and New London residents, was the practicality of dissolving the water precinct and having it absorbed into the Town of New London. A committee report is due by the summer of 1987.

GEORGE GREEN
Commissioner

POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT - 1986

Given this opportunity, I want to thank the townspeople for their continued support in 1986. I appreciate your watching your neighbors' property and for reporting when something doesn't look just right.

I want to thank the following: Tom Duling for his help on the Halloween weekend, Allen Wheeler for being there whenever I needed his help during the year, all of our fire fighters for their response when they were called on to help and a special thank you to the Police Departments of Grantham and Sunapee for their help and quick response.

I have enjoyed working as your chief in 1986 and couldn't possibly have accomplished this without your continued support in the past and the anticipated support for the future!

Alarms	11
Accidents	16
Assists — Motor Vehicle	7
Lost Property — Bad Checks	2
Medical Emergency	7
Burglary	9
Attempted Rape	1
Assault	1
Fire	4
Security Checks	11
Trespass	2
Snowmobile Complaints	12
Domestic	2
Pick Up Dogs	14
Animal Bite	1
Dog Complaints	34
Suspicious Persons	9
Miscellaneous Calls	20
Summons	8
Warnings	<u>26</u>
TOTAL	197

Respectively submitted

RUSSELL R. LeBRECHT, Sr.
Police Chief

SPRINGFIELD RECREATION COMMITTEE — 1986

1986 has been an exciting year for the recreation committee due to the enthusiasm shown for the new forthcoming recreation field. We have finally purchased the Sych property and can only say that we regret how long these projects take. However, things are looking great. Our thanks to Walter and Mary Ann Sych for allowing us to purchase their property at half the appraised value. We have won an additional federal grant of \$21,300 to add to the first one of \$6,200. Along with a generous donation by Nancy and Ed Sacks, we should be off to a grand start in the spring! We can never thank Louise Jacewicz enough for her never ending commitment to the project with much prodding and investigating that has kept us going in the right direction for the best of all available.

Unfortunately, the majority of our time this year has been spent on paperwork due to the purchase of the Sych property and the federal applications for a grant. Another year, this work will be handed to the newly formed finance and advisory board. We welcome their appointments and are looking forward to working with them in the future. We did continue to have our swimming lessons at the lake which are always so popular. We thank Kay Murphy for her devotion and efficiency with which she always handles this for us. Our celebration in July is more popular than ever and we hope to continue this for many years to come.

Due to some new rules in the budget layout, it appears that we overspent \$600.00 in fireworks, which we did not. On July 24, we turned in \$395.00 and on July 31, we turned in \$100.00, which came from private funds and donations to provide an additional \$495.00 for the recreation budget. However, as it is added into general funds, it does not appear in our own budget as we had planned. To protect our budget's "appearance," we did not spend the following:

\$125.00 Supplies

\$200.00 Equipment

Another \$400.00 in our budget for a dance or dances was not spent either as the town hall appears to have a curse on it and we were unable to use it.

We hope that the town spirit will be active again, as we will need a great deal of volunteer labor to build the new recreation field. But equally important is that we need you to use and enjoy the place after it is started. Hopefully, it will provide some truly enjoyable times in the future.

The other two people that we wish to thank are Russell LeBrecht and Elba Jillson. They have never failed to help us with any of our events, no matter what day or time.

Respectfully submitted,
BARRY DASHNER
Chairman
DIANE CHARLES
CYNTHIA ANDERSON

SCHOOL BOARD REPORT — 1986

The 1986-87 school year has been a year filled with change and great expectations. The Annual 1986 School Meeting witnessed the second greatest attendance by taxpayer-voters in the District's history. At that meeting, the voters issued an exceedingly strong mandate to the District to relieve space problems by building new schools. At this time, new elementary schools are being built in New London and in Bradford and a major addition is being built at Simonds Elementary School in Warner. From reports received by the School Board, all of the new space will be filled immediately. It is interesting to note that the School Board's Building Committee projected a school population of 1,589 for 1986-87. The actual population, at this writing, stands at 1,591. Because of the real possibility that the District will continue to grow, the new schools are designed and site planned to easily accommodate additions. The lowering of bank interest rates coupled with the 55% state aid for new construction, has considerably lessened the brunt of the costs on the taxpayer.

We saw a long and successful education career come to a crossroads with the retirement of Ed Johnson, the principal of Kearsarge High School. It was during his tenure as principal that Kearsarge High School received the President's Award for Excellence In Education, 1983-1984. Suddenly the School Board was faced with the challenge of finding not only a replacement, but for an individual who could pick up the torch and continue the excellence. The School Board was fortunate in finding Dr. Paul Ezen who assumes the principal's post on the crest of a brilliant career as Assistant Principal at Milford High School. In November, Dr. Ezen said that Kearsarge High School has been recognized for excellence among rural high schools.

The School Board continues to be ever vigilant in keeping costs down for the District. This philosophy was put to the test in the Board's teacher contract negotiations. Though both sides have presented diverse proposals, the Board feels confident that new and realistically creative approaches to the issues will result in a mutual satisfactory contract.

Another growing issue confronting the Board is the "graying of the teaching staff" coupled with the severe shortage of good teachers. A significant percentage of the teaching staff have over twenty years of service accrued and are beginning to retire. The near future will pose the problem of finding good replacements. Perhaps if conditions continue to improve for the profession, we might be able to attract the good teachers who left the profession in the Seventies to return to teaching as their "second career." The viability and reality of this concept remains to be seen.

Finally, the last issue the Board is addressing is the need for public kindergarten. A Kindergarten Study Committee was formed to see if there is a need and to make recommendations to the Board. The committee is made up of teachers, parents, and private kindergarten owners. I have been attending and observing these committee meetings for the School Board. Some of the early findings of the committee show that even though a large percentage of our preschool children come to first grade with kindergarten experience, this experience is skewed by unequal facilities, diverse educational philosophies and lack of opportunities among the private kindergartens in the District. In addition, the State classifies some of these "kindergartens" as *day care* facilities.

Springfield is the *only* town in the District to offer (in conjunction with the Grantham school district) public kindergarten. Should the day come when the Springfield Kindergarten transfers leadership to the Kearsarge School District, we will be in an enviable position because we already have a classroom to possibly rent the District, and because the District will help pay for the costs. It is projected that the Kindergarten Study will take from twelve to eighteen months to complete before any recommendations can be made to the Board.

Because New Hampshire is the only state in the nation which does not offer public kindergarten to virtually 100% of its five-year-olds or have a deadline to do so within the 1980's, some observers believe the state may try to mandate it, in some way, in the near future. But because the state contributes the least aid to public education of all of the states, and because the law says the state must pay for mandated programs, mandating school programs as well as other programs, has come to a standstill. This lack of state leadership and responsibility in securing equal educational opportunities for all its children will continue to cast a shadow on the quality of education and on the property taxpayer's pocketbook.

The Annual School District Meeting will take place on Saturday, March 21, 1987. The School Board thanks all of you who have attended in the past and encourages your continued support of public education. Hope to see you there.

Sincerely,
ANDREW D'AMICO

TOWN BUILDING NEEDS COMMITTEE REPORT — 1986

This committee, appointed by the Selectmen, had its first meeting October 3, 1986. The requirements for space and needed repairs to the town buildings from the point of view of safety, fire protection regulations, efficiency, economy, etc. were addressed. Sub-committees were formed for detailed assessments of needs and formulation of plans and recommendations to the Selectmen. The buildings under review and scrutiny are:

1. Town Hall/Howard Memorial Church
2. Memorial Building (Town Offices)
3. Town Library
4. Fire Station
5. Town Garage

During the past four months, numerous meetings were held and great effort was made to arrive at timely, proper, efficient, and economical recommendations.

On the basis of estimates and bids obtained from various sources, a total of \$12,849.00 was requested from the Budget Committee for approval. (Separate request from Selectmen covered the Memorial Building needs.) Detailed information relative to individual buildings is on file in the town offices.

This committee has submitted an article for this year's town warrant to be considered at the regular town meeting requesting approval for \$5,000.00 appropriation. This money, if approved, is to be spent on feasibility, technical studies, expert engineering and architectural advice as to a variety of options, both short and long term, to meet present and future needs of the town.

Respectfully submitted,

BORIS BUSHUEFF

Acting Chairman

REPORT OF REPRESENTATIVE SARA M. TOWNSEND TO THE NEW HAMPSHIRE GENERAL COURT

While the first-in-history annual session in NH ended in rather a stalemate between the House, Senate and Governor as to the Connecticut River Valley Resource Authority, so important to this region, we did manage to do quite a few useful things for the people. I shall cover only a very limited number, but would be happy to go over with anyone the complete record of exactly what we did — over 400 new laws.

A 10-year highway construction plan was developed; we enacted emergency “tort reform” which pleased the insurance folks but has been something of a disappointment to nearly everyone else so far; a children’s protective fund was established under a matching grant system and lots of *private* sector contributions (we hope); the problem of moorings and docking facilities was partially addressed with a study committee to come in with recommendations — unfortunately, this seems to have been incomplete and the problems are being handled by rules thus far; under certain conditions students of approved high school vocational, electrical and plumbing programs may do installations in individual houses; there was a financial disclosure bill passed, but it needs to be revised already; it is now illegal to smoke in grocery stores; the enforcement of bingo was transferred to the Dept. of Safety; the foundation aid formula for schools was changed, but underfunded (what else is new in NH?). It is now illegal to sell cigarettes to minors; libraries must now make annual reports of their trust funds to the Office of the Attorney General; NH 6-year-old or less cars will now have annual instead of semi-annual motor vehicle inspections as soon as the Dept. of Motor Vehicles gets its act together (their handling of this was a major disappointment to all those who supported the bill during the legislative process); part-time employees who work 15 hours a week may now be given healthcare group insurance coverage; elderly affairs will not be placed in the division of adult and elderly services; we created a Dept. of Environmental Services under the reorganization program; and we have a full-time county attorney now.

As I said, this is but the tip of the iceberg. Please be in touch with me should you wish to know more about these or other new laws. It is always interesting to me that I receive calls from many people who live far out of my district and I am always happy to help.

New Hampshire is “in the black” with a surplus. How do you feel about that? Call (or write) 469-3313.

Respectfully,
SARA M. TOWNSEND
Representative
New Hampshire House
Sullivan County, District #1
Tel. Meriden 469-3313
Concord 271-3661

REPORT OF REPRESENTATIVE MERLE W. SCHOTANUS TO THE NEW HAMPSHIRE GENERAL COURT

The advent of annual sessions in 1986 served me well to achieve a modicum of effectiveness which otherwise would have been very difficult under the biennial system. Although learning county government while chairing the County Delegation in my first term was difficult, I now feel comfortable in that arena as well.

The 1986 General Court witnessed a legislature in transition. Many good pieces of legislation fell victim to House-Senate wrangling over supplemental budgets and annual sessions. Even so, teamwork achieved by the Sullivan County Delegation resulted in several laws beneficial to the county and to our district. Sara Townsend and I were able to obtain funding to restore the Cornish-Windsor bridge. I was also successful in getting legislation passed to establish the office of full time County Attorney which is beginning to pay dividends in assistance to our local police departments. The Connecticut River Valley Authority bill succumbed for the second time to unsavory political fights.

The 1987 session will be very busy. Cutbacks in federal funds, together with the Governor's inaugural acceptance of State responsibility for programs and funding previously supplied by the federal government promises to generate many demands on the budget surplus enjoyed by New Hampshire. I will again serve on the Environment and Agriculture Committee and expect to be busy helping to formulate and act on legislation to make our hazardous waste, solid waste and air quality standards and laws responsive to our rapidly growing State. Preserving open space will be a significant part of my work. I intend to support current initiatives on the NH Land Trust and to help find ways to give local planning boards and conservation commissions better tools to help guide growth without damaging our quality of life.

Some of the bills I am co-sponsoring in the 1987 session are: Connecticut River Valley Resource Authority; agricultural promotion; formula for increased State revenue sharing to the towns; Cooperative Extension Service funding; and another bill (the seventh Cornish-Windsor bridge act since 1784) to increase bridge restoration funding and get the project underway in 1987. I will also be monitoring education bills which can assist our towns to provide quality education without increasing our tax burden.

I am again serving as chairman of the 16-member County Delegation. I have taken the initiative to reorganize the Delegation to strengthen Sullivan county representation in the House. Four committees have been established — Commerce, Resources & Environment, Human Services, and Administration — to better monitor legislation of interest to Sullivan County. I am confident this organization will continue to foster the teamwork that has assisted us in

strengthening Sullivan County's voice in Concord, as well as to keep the county budget at manageable tax levels.

Your comments on bills before the legislature are extremely important in helping me to represent you effectively. Please drop me a note or call (863-1928 or 271-3661) to keep me informed of your views, or when you need help in Concord.

MERLE W. SCHOTANUS
Representative
Grantham
District 1, Sullivan County

SULLIVAN COUNTY REGIONAL REFUSE DISPOSAL DISTRICT ANNUAL REPORT OF ACTIVITIES — 1986

Construction of the Signal Environmental Systems, Inc. waste-to-energy facility is nearing completion. Based on the current schedule, Signal expects to begin accepting waste for test purposes by the end of February, 1987, and to begin commercial operation during May, 1987.

Changes to the facility, because of new State regulations, include dry lime scrubbers and fabric filters to meet new acid gas emission standards and auxiliary burners to control trace organic emissions during start-up. The cost of constructing and operating this new control equipment will add over seven dollars per ton to disposal costs.

The permit application for an ash landfill on land owned by the Sullivan County District in Newport, New Hampshire, was filed with the State in September 1986. It is expected that the permitting process, including any appeals by opponents, should be completed during 1987. Discussions have been held with Browning Ferris Industries to use a newly lined section of the Rockingham, Vermont, landfill in the interim.

A Recycling Project Manager was hired in March, 1986. During May, 1986, household hazardous waste collection days were held in Springfield, Vermont, and Claremont and New London, New Hampshire. Eighty barrels of material were collected from citizens and schools in the two Districts. This fall, the access road to the waste-to-energy facility was paved with glasphalt, using 120 tons of recycled glass collected from the Districts and other recycling facilities.

A report illustrating potential cost savings associated with recycling in each member town was completed, and meetings with interested town officials are on-going. It is hoped that during 1987, citizens and businesses will have the opportunity to recycle glass, metal, newsprint and cardboard at various locations throughout the District.

Removal of trace metals is also a priority for recycling because these metals may cause unacceptable air emissions when burned and increase metal concentrations in leachate from the ash landfill. Signal has provided the Districts with a \$2,500 grant to begin a household battery recycling program. Discussions are being held with battery retailers about providing containers to collect used batteries for recycling or disposal in a proper manner.

This coming year will be a difficult one as the District and Towns switch from the old system to the new one. The District Committee and staff will be working to make the transition as smooth as possible. If anyone has questions or suggestions, they should not hesitate to attend District meetings or contact their District Representative or the Project office.

Respectfully submitted,

DENISE M. EGBERT
Secretary

Births Registered in the Town of Springfield, N.H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1986

Date	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Father's Name	Mother's Name
07/08/85 (Omitted in 1985)	New London, N.H.	Thomas Brandon O'Day	Bryan Henry O'Day	Heidi Sue Wasson
01/29/86	New London, N.H.	Ian Haskell Locke	Brent Howard Locke	Cynthia Sue Rollins
07/16/86	Claremont, N.H.	Jessica Marie Wood	Albert George Wood, Jr.	Dorothy Marie Patten
07/28/86	Concord, N.H.	Jessica Johnson	George Robert Johnson	Kathleen Theresa Murphy
10/10/86	Claremont, N.H.	Christopher Michael Simoneau	Peter Paul Simoneau	Tina Marie Kirk

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
CYNTHIA ANDERSON, Town Clerk

Marriages Registered in the Town of Springfield, N.H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1986

Date	Groom & Bride	Parents of Groom	Parents of Bride	Officiant
06/08/86	Peter Wittman Susan Dale Mollet	George Wittman Madeliene Klein	Ralph Mollet Jean Roeder	Bradford C. White Justice of the Peace New London, N.H.
07/06/86	Eugene V. Call, Jr. Tammy L. Sweeney	Eugene Call, Sr. Sophie Wilder	Robert L. Sweeney Maureen M. Dodge	Bradford C. White Justice of the Peace New London, N.H.

08/31/86	Dean W. Cristman Janet M. LeBrecht	Verle D. Cristman Joan S. Seeley	Russell R. LeBrecht Janet O. Harvey	John W. Wall Minister New London, N.H.
10/11/86	Thomas S. Burke Paula T. Stedman	Stanton Burke Phyllis Coxon	Ralph Stedman — Yousko	Barry A. Meyers Minister Sunapee, N.H.

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
CYNTHIA ANDERSON, Town Clerk

Deaths Registered in the Town of Springfield, N.H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1986

Date	Name of Deceased	Age	Place	Father	Mother	Burial
02/02/86	Todd R. Edson	2 mths/ 26 days	New London, N.H.	Peter P. Abair	Cynthia J. Clark	Springfield N.H.
03/31/86	John S. Remick	73	Newport, N.H.	Frank Remick	Alelaide Stevens	Portsmouth, N.H.
05/06/86	Iva-Lee N. Sanders	79	New London, N.H.	Thomas Neil	Ola Poole	Springfield N.H.
08/27/86	Cecile L. deRocheafort	72	Hanover, N.H.	Gregory Last	Susanna Sweterski	Georgetown- Washington, D.C.

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.
CYNTHIA ANDERSON, Town Clerk

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